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Ex Parte

Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition for Waiver of Pricing Flexibility Rules for Fast Packet Services; Petition for Forbearance Under 47 U.S.C. Section 160 (c) from Pricing Flexibility Rules for Fast Packet Services, WC Docket No. 04-246

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 4, 2004, Joseph Dibella, Fred Moacdieh, and the undersigned, on behalf of Verizon, met with Deena Shetler, Judith Nitsche, Jay Atkinson, and Marvin Sacks of the Wireline Competition Bureau via teleconference to discuss the above captioned proceeding. The purpose of the discussion was to discuss the operational impact if Verizon were to provide advanced services via a separate affiliate. Verizon explained that converting from local access to special access would require installation of new circuits and would not be efficient or economic. The attached document formed the basis of the discussion.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

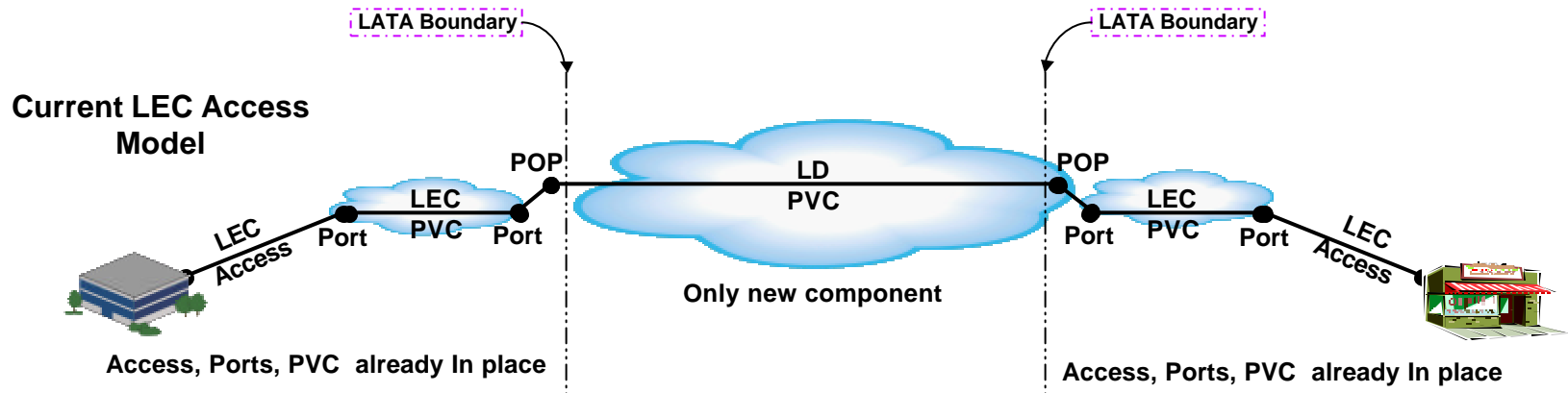
Sincerely,

/s/Joseph Mulieri

Attachment

cc: D. Shetler
J. Nitsche
J. Atkinson
M. Sacks

Comparison of Existing and Alternative Access Models to Fast Packet



Alternative Model using 272 Affiliate provided Special Access

